## Horbury Score MapRun event Tuesday/Friday 18/21 August

Parking Green Park Avenue Horbury Post Code WF4 6FD What Three words: poets.distilled.guidebook

Go past Primrose Hall and park tidily on the tree lined avenue. The Start is at the end of trees

Start & Finish Green Park Horbury

**Map** Open Orienteering Map 1:7500 Please note this is in a different format to previous maps and produced using Open Orienteering map software. The two major roads through the village have by a fawn coloured base. All other roads are solid black lines and paths indicated by a dashed line.

**Course:** This is a score event. You have to visit as many 'controls' as you can (31 in total) and get back to the start/finish point in 45 minutes. You can take the controls in any order, there is no need to do them numerically.

There will be a points penalty for getting back late.

Each control is worth 20 points but a 10 point penalty is deducted for each minute or part thereof you are late back. All the 'controls' are fire hydrant signs – they are normally at the roadside and about 0.50m high however there are a few which are mounted on lampposts around 2.4m from the ground, so if you can't spot the sign at the roadside try looking up the nearest post



**Maps:** PDF maps will be available for printing off the night before the event. Please check for legibility but try not to plan your route in advance.

Maprun: The event will use the free Maprun F app to track and verify your run and register your time

## Read James Williams' article and other information on the EPOC website.

Using the app will give confirmation of reaching the control and act as a results mechanism. If you don't have a smart phone send your time to the EPOC email address to be included in the results. eastpennineorienteeringclub@gmail.com

You need to download the course whilst you have internet access (eg at home). And you need to print yourself a copy of the paper map which is also on the website. Where to find the courses on the app: Open the app  $\rightarrow$  Select Event  $\rightarrow$  UK Folder  $\rightarrow$  West Yorkshire – Wakefield – Horbury Score

The course has been set to allow you to 'Display Current Location'. You may wish to do this in case you find yourself convinced that you are in the right place, but the phone won't beep. If you do want to see where the phone thinks you are, you need to enable this feature in the Settings and Options screen before you tap 'Go to Start'; you can't enable it once you have done that. Finish: is adjacent to where you started. You must go to the finish to record a time.

**Safety**: This is a typical urban event and the course crosses roads which may be busy, especially the main bypass road – there is one underpass on this road but several mid road bollards which can be utilised. Please take care crossing all roads. This course also enters housing estates with narrow footpaths, steps and blind corners. Please be careful on steps, especially if wet, and be mindful of locals who will not be expecting enthusiastic orienteers to come flying at them out of nowhere.

We strongly advise that all children under 16 be accompanied by an adult.

Please respect social distancing and other members of the public in all areas. This is not an official British Orienteering event and is not included in their insurance policy. Neither EPOC nor the course planner can be held responsible for accidents. You take part entirely at your own risk.

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